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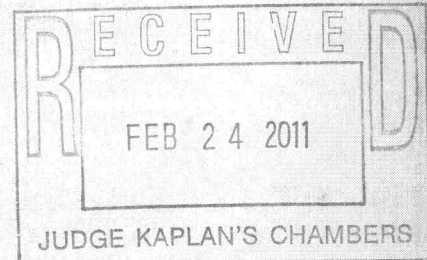
*Pablo Fajardo Mendoza*

*Sucumbios - Ecuador*

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February 23, 2011

The Honorable Lewis A. Kaplan  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007



Re: Chevron Corp. v. Steven Donziger, et al.

Dear Judge Kaplan:

I am the lawyer for the Ecuadorian nationals and organizations, which have been sued in a matter currently pending before Your Honor. I understand that I am also a defendant in the lawsuit. I also understand the time for the Ecuadorian defendants to respond to the complaint is this Friday, February 25, 2011. Although all of the Ecuadorian defendants, including myself, vigorously dispute Chevron's claim that this Court has any jurisdiction over us, we believe it is necessary to protect our rights. Accordingly, I and these Ecuadorian defendants, request an extension of time to respond to the complaint, similar to the extension that has been agreed to by Chevron with respect to the other defendants in this case. Chevron would not agree to the extension I now request from Your Honor.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "Pablo Fajardo Mendoza", enclosed within a hand-drawn oval. Below the signature, the name "Pablo Fajardo Mendoza" is printed.

Pablo Fajardo Mendoza

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